

PAMELA LEE NORTH. *Associate Judge, Anne Arundel County Circuit Court, 5th Judicial Circuit, since November 6, 1995. Vice-Chair, Foster-Care Court-Improvement Implementation Committee, 1997- (chair, child in need of assistance subcommittee, 1997-). Member, Executive Committee, 1996-2000, and Juvenile Law Committee, 1998-2000, Maryland Judicial Conference.*

Assistant Public Defender, Anne Arundel County, 1989-91. Born in Baltimore, Maryland, September 12, 1952. University of Maryland Baltimore County, B.A. (philosophy), 1978; University of Baltimore School of Law, J.D., 1982. Admitted to Maryland Bar, 1983. Partner, North & Wachs, P.A., 1991-94. Former sole practitioner. Member, Maryland State and Anne Arundel County Bar Associations. Board of Directors, Annapolis Youth Services Bureau, 1994-97. Outstanding service award, Anne Arundel County Bar Association. Morris H. Blum Humanitarian Award, 1996.

S. MICHAEL PINCUS. *Associate Judge, Montgomery County Circuit Court, 6th Judicial Circuit, since February 12, 1993.*

Domestic Relations Master, Montgomery County Circuit Court, 1988-91. Associate Judge, District Court of Maryland, District 6, Montgomery County, 1991-93. Born in Washington, DC, February 25, 1939. Attended Bladensburg High School, Bladensburg, Maryland; University of Maryland, B.A., 1961; George Washington University Law School, J.D., 1965. Admitted to Maryland Bar, 1967. Member, Montgomery County Bar Association. Founding partner, Perlis and Pincus.

STEVEN I. PLATT. *Associate Judge, Prince George's County Circuit Court, 7th Judicial Circuit, since May 7, 1990. Coordinating judge for family law operations. Chair, Strategic Planning and Total Quality Management Council. Vice-Chair, Business and Technology Division Task Force, 2000.*

Member, Human Relations Commission, Prince George's County, 1976-77 (chair, 1977-78); Adoption Advisory Committee, Department of Social Services, Prince George's County, 1977. Chair, County Council Labor Law Revision Task Force, Prince George's County, 1981. Past member, Adoption Advisory Committee, Department of Social Services, Prince George's County. Chief Judge, Orphans' Court, Prince George's County, 1985 (Judge, 1978-85). District Administrative Judge, District Court of Maryland, District 5, Prince George's County, 1988-90 (Associate Judge, 1986-88, cross-designated to Prince George's County Circuit Court, 7th Judicial Circuit, 1988-90). Born in Woodstock, Virginia, January 1, 1947. Attended Massanutten Military Academy; University of Virginia, B.A. (government & public administration), 1969. Served in Maryland National Guard, 1969-75. Law clerk to Judge Ernest A. Loveless, Prince George's County Circuit Court, 1973-75. The American University Law School, J.D., 1974; National Judicial College and National Center for State Courts (court administration), 1988. Admitted to Maryland Bar, 1975. Member, American Bar Association; Maryland State Bar Association (board of governors); Prince George's County Bar Association (president, 1988-89). Partner, Platt & Risner, 1981-86. Regional Board of Directors, Prince George's County

United Way. Instructor, Paralegal Institute, University of Maryland, 1982; faculty, Prince George's Community College. Chair, Board of Trustees, Henson Valley Montessori School, 1985-87. President, Marlborough Inn of Court, 1992-94. Member, Delta Theta Phi Legal Fraternity. Fellow, Maryland Bar Foundation; Law Foundation of Prince George's County. Conflict Resolution Award, National Conference of Christians and Jews, 1995.

EMORY A. PLITT, JR. *Associate Judge, Harford County Circuit Court, 3rd Judicial Circuit, since November 18, 1999. Member, Family and Domestic Relations Law Committee, Maryland Judicial Conference, 1999-. Member, Editorial Board, Justice Matters, 2000-.*

Assistant attorney general, 1971-91 (principal counsel, department of public safety & correctional services, 1980-91). Member, Criminal Justice Information Advisory Board, 1976-91; Maryland Police Training Commission, 1980-91; Maryland Correctional Training Commission, 1980-91. County Attorney, Harford County, 1991-93. District Administrative Judge, District Court of Maryland, District 9, Harford County, 1995-99 (Associate Judge, Harford County, February 5, 1993 to November 1999). Member, Administrative Judges Committee, District Court of Maryland, 1995-99. Member, Public Awareness Committee, Maryland Judicial Conference, 1994-97; Executive Committee, Maryland Judicial Conference, 1997-99. Born in Baltimore, Maryland, February 9, 1943. Attended Mt. St. Joseph High School, Baltimore; University of Maryland; University of Baltimore, J.D., 1967. Admitted to Maryland Bar, 1968. Member, American, Maryland State and Harford County Bar Associations. Professor of Law (part-time), Villa Julie College. Distinguished service awards from International Association of Chiefs of Police, Maryland Chiefs of Police Association, Maryland State Sheriffs Association, Maryland Law Enforcement Officers Association, Americans for Effective Law Enforcement. Outstanding Achievement Award, Family Violence Council, 1998.

JOHN N. PREVAS. *Associate Judge, Baltimore City Circuit Court, 8th Judicial Circuit, since July 7, 1986.*

Assistant State's Attorney, Baltimore City, 1972-86 (past chief, narcotics division). Executive assistant to U.S. Senator Paul S. Sarbanes, 1975-76. Born in Baltimore, Maryland, September 16, 1947. Attended Baltimore City College; Syracuse University, B.A., 1968; University of Maryland School of Law, J.D., 1971. Admitted to Maryland Bar, 1972. Member, Maryland State Bar Association (criminal law section council; judicial administration section, judicial evaluations project); Baltimore City Bar Association. Member, National District Attorneys Association; Maryland State's Attorneys' Association. Member, TKE Fraternity.

J. FREDERICK PRICE. *County Administrative Judge, Kent County Circuit Court, 2nd Judicial Circuit, since September 12, 1990 (Associate Judge, 1990). Member, Executive Committee, Maryland Judicial Conference, 1993. Circuit representative, Conference of Circuit Judges, 1998-. Member, Council on Jury Use and Management, 1999-2000; Joint Committee on Parole Issues,*